

# NURSING – R.N. TO B.S. NURSING PROGRAM (PART-TIME)

FOR QUALIFIED STUDENTS WITH AN ASSOCIATE OR DIPLOMA DEGREE IN NURSING

## BACHELOR OF SCIENCE (B.S.) IN NURSING

\*The RN to BS in Nursing program will allow any qualified Associate or Diploma degree nurse a seamless transition for obtaining a BS in Nursing at King's College. The RN will receive advance nursing placement credits of 35 from Kings based on RN licensure. Students will be required to meet the requirements of the core. The maximum of sixty (60) transfer credits (excluding RN advance placement credits) will be evaluated by the registrar and posted on the transcript. Students will need to take an additional 25 BS level nursing credits and 5 credits of any electives at King's to meet the minimum of 30 credits of residency and the 122 credits required for the Bachelors of Science Degree in Nursing.

CORE Requirements	Credits	Major Courses at King's College	Credits
CORE 100 Lib Arts Sem.	3	NSG 300 Issues and Trends in Professional Nursing	3
CORE 110 Effect Writing.	3	NSG 304 Introduction to Evidenced Based Practice	3
CORE 115 or 116 Oral Comm.	3	NSG306 Informatics for Healthcare Professionals	3
MATH 126 <sup>3</sup> Introduction to Statistics	3	NSG 308 Global Health and Ethical Decision Making	3
CORE 131 or 133 Civilization	3	NSG 400 Community Health	2
CORE 140 -145 Foreign Lang. or Cult.	3	NSG 410 Community Health (Clinical)	2
CORE 150-159 Soc. Sci. <sup>1</sup>	3	NSG 404 Principles of Teaching and Learning	3
CORE 160-169 Literature	3	NSG 405 Baccalaureate Capstone	3
CORE 170-179 The Arts	3	NSG 500 Advanced Physical Assessment	3
CORE 180-189 Amer. Studies <sup>1</sup>	3	<b>Total Credits for Major at King's</b>	<b>25</b>
CORE 190-199 Glob Stud <sup>1</sup>	3	<b>Other Credits</b>	
CORE 250-259 Syst. Theo.	3	Advance Nursing Placement Credits ( <i>based on RN Licensure</i> )	35
CORE 260-269 Mor. Theo.	3	Elective	3
CORE 270 Natural Science I (A&P I)	4	Elective	3
CORE 271 – 279 Natural Science II (A&P II)	4	Elective	3
CORE 280 Philosophy I	3	NSG 413 CO-OP ( <i>optional to replace electives</i> )	(1-5)
CORE 281 – 289 Philos.II <sup>2</sup> ( <b>CORE 288</b> )	3	<b>Total Other Credits</b>	<b>44</b>
<b>Total Credits for CORE</b>	<b>53</b>		
<b>Minimum Credits Required for Graduation</b>		<b>122</b>	

<sup>1</sup>Nursing students are highly recommended to take CORE 190 to fulfill the Interdisciplinary CORE requirement and the Global Studies Core Requirement.

<sup>2</sup>Nursing students are highly recommended to take CORE 288 Bioethics to fulfill the Philosophy II requirement.

<sup>3</sup>Nursing students are **required** to take MATH 126 Introduction to Statistics to fulfill the CORE 120 Core Requirement.

### General Information:

A student must earn a minimum of 122 credit hours to be awarded the baccalaureate degree. The number of credit hours required for graduation may be higher in certain major programs **or** if the student elects to pursue a second major.

Beyond the requirements of the Core Curriculum and of a student's chosen major program, the balances of the credit hours required for graduation are "free electives."

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## SUGGESTED PART-TIME SEQUENCE

- Use the information below as a guide when selecting courses.
- Refer to the reverse side when selecting major courses, major electives, core courses, and free electives when applicable.
- Consult your Academic Advisor prior to course registration.
- Refer to the King’s College Catalog and/or website for course titles and descriptions.
- Choose one course from each CORE category as listed on the reverse side as approved by the academic advisor.

1 <sup>st</sup> Year - Fall		cr.	1 <sup>st</sup> Year - Spring		cr.
_____	NSG 300 Issues and Trends in Professional Nursing	3	_____	NSG 306 Informatics for Healthcare Professionals	3
_____	NSG 304 Introduction to Evidenced Based Practice	3	_____	NSG 308 Global Health and Ethical Decision Making	3
_____	Elective	3	_____	CORE 190 Global Studies	3
		<b>9</b>			<b>9</b>
2 <sup>nd</sup> Year - Fall			3 <sup>rd</sup> Year – Spring		
_____	NSG 400 Community Health	2	_____	NSG 405 Baccalaureate Capstone	3
_____	NSG 410 Community Health (Clinical)	2	_____	NSG 500 Advanced Physical Assessment	3
_____	NSG 404 Principles of Teaching and Learning	3	_____	Elective	3
		<b>7</b>			<b>9</b>
3 <sup>rd</sup> Year – Fall			3 <sup>rd</sup> Year – Spring		
_____	CORE	3	_____	Elective	3
_____	CORE	3	_____	CORE	3
_____	NSG 413 Co-op in Nursing <i>(optional to replace electives)</i>	(1-5)			
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4 <sup>th</sup> Year - Fall			4 <sup>th</sup> Year - Spring		
_____	CORE	3	_____	CORE	3
_____	CORE	3	_____	CORE	3
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